

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)
Plaintiff,)
v.) Case No. 06-106M
JOSEPH BENTLEY,)
Defendant.)

MOTION FOR DETENTION HEARING

NOW COMES the United States and moves for the pretrial detention of the defendant, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. §3142(e) and (f). In support of the motion, the United States alleges the following:

1. **Eligibility of Case.** This case is eligible for a detention order because case

involves (**check all that apply**):

Crime of violence (18 U.S.C. § 3156)
 Maximum sentence life imprisonment or death
 10+ year drug offense
 Felony, with two prior convictions in above categories
 Serious risk defendant will flee
 Serious risk obstruction of justice



2. **Reason For Detention**. The court should detain defendant because there are no conditions of release which will reasonably assure (**check one or both**):

Defendant's appearance as required
 Safety of any other person and the community

3. **Rebuttable Presumption**. The United States (will, will not) invoke the rebuttable presumption against defendant under §3142(e). (If yes) The presumption applies because (**check one or both**):

Probable cause to believe defendant committed 10+ year drug offense or firearms offense, 18 U.S.C. §924(c)
 Previous conviction for "eligible" offense committed while on pretrial bond

4. **Time For Detention Hearing**. The United States requests the court conduct the detention hearing,

At first appearance
 After continuance of 3 days (not more than 3).

5. **Temporary Detention**. The United States requests the temporary detention of the defendant for a period of _____ days (not more than 10) so that the appropriate officials can be notified since:

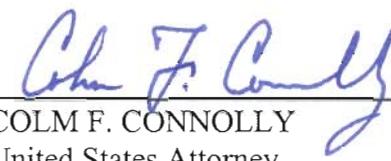
1. At the time the offense was committed the defendant was:
 (a) on release pending trial for a felony;

- _____ (b) on release pending imposition or execution of sentence, appeal of sentence or conviction, or completion of sentence for an offense;
- _____ (c) on probation or parole for an offense.

2. _____ The defendant is not a citizen of the U.S. or lawfully admitted for permanent residence.
3. _____ The defendant may flee or pose a danger to any other person or the community.

6. **Other Matters.**

DATED this 12th day of September, 2006.



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